

Attorney Docket No. PD-980163D

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Mustafa Eroz, et al.

Serial No:

10/662,149

Filed:

September 12, 2003

For: Forward Error Correction Scheme For CDMA

Data Channels Using Universal Turbo Codes

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Art Unit: 2133

Examiner: Chung, Phung M.

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Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action dated August 25, 2004, in connection with the above-identified application, the response to which is due November 25, 2004. It is believed that no fee is due in connection with this paper. Please charge any additional fees to our deposit account No. 50-0383. Please consider the following remarks:

PATENT

Attorney Docket No: PD-980163D

Customer No: 20991

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Application No:	-		Art Unit:	2133			
Filed: September 12, 2003 For: Forward Error Correction Scheme for CDM Data Channels using Universal Turbo Code			Examiner:	Chung, Phung M.			
AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER							
Assistant Commis Washington, D.C.	ssioner for Patents 20231						

Sir:

Transm	nitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.
	Petition for Extension of time is attached hereto. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.
	An extension for months(s) has already been secured; the fee paid therefor of is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.
	Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.
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	CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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	CLAIMS REMAINING		HIGHEST NUMBER PRESENT				ADDITIONAL		
	AFTER AME	NDMENT	PREVIOUSLY	PAID FOR	EXTRA		<u>RATE</u>		FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	37	_	37	=	0 x	\$	18.00 =	\$	0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6	_	6	=	0 x	\$	88.00 =	\$	0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					N (Y/N)	\$	300.00 =	\$_	0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:						\$	0.00		

Please charge \$0.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0383. Please charge any additional fees for claims or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0383.

Respectfully submitted,

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